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SUBJECT: AUTONOMY MOVEMENT IN FRENCH POLYNESIA

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1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN TOLD THAT NO AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED BETWEEN FORMER MINISTER OF INTERIOR PONIATOWSKI AND POLYNESIAN DEPUTY SANFORD. SANFORD AND TERRITORIAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT GASTON FLOSSE MET WITH PRESIDENT GISCARD, PONIATOWSKI, AND STATE SECRETARY FOR OVERSEAS DEPARTMENTS AND TERRITORIES OLIVIER STIRN ON MARCH 29 AND THEY APPARENTLY REACHED AN UNDERSTANDING ON A "PROJECT OF LAW REFORMING THE STATUS OF POLYNESIA." AT A COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MEETING THE FOLLOWING DAY A COMMUNIQUE WAS ISSUED NOTING THAT THE TERRITORIAL ASSEMBLY WOULD SOON BE DISSOLVED AND A NEW ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTED TO CONSIDER THE PROPOSED REFORM. THIS "PROJECT OF LAW" MUST STILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE FRENCH PARLIAMENT FOR CONSIDERATION.

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2. IN THE PAST NEGOTIATIONS ON POLYNESIA HAVE BEEN HANDLED BY INTERIOR MINISTER PONIATOWSKI RATHER THAN STIRN. AS PONIATOWSKI HAS NOT BEEN NAMED TO THE NEW BARRE GOVERNMENT, IT IS UNCLEAR WHICH MINISTRY WILL HANDLE THE ISSUE IN THE FUTURE.

3. EMBASSY HAS SO FAR BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN CONTENT OF
PROPOSED CHANGES BUT WE WILL NOTIFY INTERESTED POSTS
AS SOON AS WE OBTAIN MORE CONCRETE INFORMATION.
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